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In re Application of:  
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Group Art Unit: 2853

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METHOD AND APPARATUS OF  
OPTIMIZING DISCRETE DROP  
VOLUMES FOR MULTIDROP  
CAPABLE INKJET PRINTERS

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**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 19, 2003, please amend the  
above-identified application without prejudice as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/ Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.

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